

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Philip Kortum, et al.

Title: FIREWALL SWITCHING SYSTEM FOR COMMUNICATION SYSTEM APPLICATIONS

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Commissioner for Patents  
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**RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed May 14, 2008, please reconsider the above-identified application in light of the following amendments and remarks: